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PRC TEXTILE QUESTION HEATS UP (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE)
1. THE TEXTILE COMMITTEE COORDINATING GROUP MEETING ON FEBRUARY 4 CONSIDERED THE ISSUE OF TEXTILE IMPORTS FROM THE PRC, WHICH IS GENERATING INCREASING DOMESTIC PRESSURES FOR THE IMPOSITION OF CONSTRAINTS. JULES KATZ, WHO REPRESENTED THE DEPARTMENT, MADE IT CLEAR THAT WE DO NOT INTEND TO EXEMPT THE CHINESE PERMANENTLY BUT THAT WE NEED TO WORK OUT QUESTIONS OF PROCEDURE AND TIMING. IT WAS AGREED THAT LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
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R 102358Z FEB 76 FM SECSTATE WASHDC TO USMISSION OECD PARIS SECRETARY. WE ARE WORKING WITH EB ON A MEMORANDUM TO THE SECRETARY, WHICH WE HOPE TO MOVE FORWARD BY COB FEBRUARY 6.

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2. THE LATEST WORD FROM THE PENTAGON IS THAT THE HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE IS PLANNING TO VISIT THE FAR EAST FROM APRIL 12-26 AND THAT CHAIRMAN MELVIN PRICE HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH PRCLO ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF VISITING THE PRC AT THAT TIME. IF THE CHINESE CONCUR, THIS COULD CONFLICT WITH THE PREFERRED TIMING FOR THE "FACILITATED" CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION. SISCO UNQUOTE INGERSOLL

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